

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

DNA encoding a recombinant antibody molecule end-specific for an amyloid- $\beta$  peptide, pharmaceutical compositions thereof, and a method for preventing the accumulation of amyloid- $\beta$  peptides in the extracellular milieu of neurons by causing an end-specific antibody to come into contact with such amyloid- $\beta$  peptides. Such a method is useful for preventing or inhibiting progression of Alzheimer's Disease.

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